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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD
SUBJECT: Report on Trip to NASA's Earth Resources Labs., Bay St. Louis, MS. (U)
1. of my Staff and I recently visited NASA's Earth Resources Laboratories (ERL). Mr. Syd Whitley, NASA's DoD activities representative and head of ERL's data processing lab was our guide. (U)
2. Presentations included discussions on sensors and data acquisition capabilities, data processing systems, image analysis software, and software development. Basic research, applications, and commercialization were also discussed. However, emphasis was placed on multispectral applications. Detailed presentations were given on several applications including projects to support studies on the Olympic National Park in Washington as well as a corridor analysis study done for planning troop movements in South Eastern U.S. Details of a multi source modeling concept used in the study were presented. One of the most interesting presentations concerned the use of the
3. We found the presentations and discussions most applicable to the multispectral projects which are now ongoing under the auspices of the Advanced Systems Working Group of COMIREX. (U)

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